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## Intimations.

## VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL  
MEETING of the Members will be  
held in the CLUB GYMNASIUM,  
Kowloon, on THURSDAY, the 2nd July,  
at 5.45 p.m., for the purpose of  
the Special Resolution passed at the  
Annual General Meeting held on the 18th  
June, 1933.

FRANK W. WHITE,  
Hon. Sec. Club.  
Hongkong, June 24, 1933. 1339

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that  
the FORTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY  
MEETING of the SHARE-  
HOLDERS will be held at the COM-  
PANY'S OFFICES, No. 4, Queen's  
Buildings, on SATURDAY, the 11th  
JULY, at 12.30 p.m., for the purpose of  
presenting the Report of the Directors,  
together with a Statement of Accounts to  
30th April, 1933, and electing Directors and  
Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-  
pany will be CLOSED from the 27th  
inst. to 11th prox., both days inclusive.  
By Order of the Board of Directors,  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, June 22, 1933. 1305

CHINA LIGHT AND POWER COM-  
PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an  
EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL  
MEETING of the SHARE-  
HOLDERS of the CHINA LIGHT AND  
POWER COMPANY, LIMITED, will be  
held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES,  
No. 14, Des Voeux Road Central, Victoria,  
HONGKONG, on SATURDAY, the 27th day  
of JUNE, 1933, at 11 in the forenoon,  
when the proposed Resolutions will be pro-  
posed, viz.:

1. That the capital of the Company be  
reduced from \$300,000 (divided into  
15,000 shares of \$20 each) to \$150,000  
(divided into 15,000 shares of \$10  
each) and that such reduction be  
effected by reducing the nominal  
amount of all the shares in the Com-  
pany's capital from \$20 to \$10 per  
share.

2. That after such reduction the capital  
of the Company be increased from  
\$150,000 (divided into 15,000 shares  
of \$10 each) to \$200,000 (divided  
into 20,000 shares of \$10 each) by the  
creation of 5,000 new shares of \$10  
each to be offered and if accepted to  
be allotted to the present shareholders  
of the Company in the ratio and  
proportion of one new share for every  
old share in the Company held by  
the respective shareholders thereof.

3. That in consideration of the guaran-  
tee and undertaking now given by  
Messrs. Shewan, Tomes & Co. (the  
General Managers of the Company)  
and testified by their signature thereto  
to end to be further testified by the  
execution by the said Shewan, Tomes  
& Co. of a separate instrument of  
guarantee to be executed contemporan-  
eously with the Debentures hereinafter  
referred to and to be held by the  
Trustees thereof to be appointed as  
hereinafter mentioned that the divi-  
dend for the years 1932, 1933 and  
1934 in respect of the new shares  
referred to in the second of the  
proceeding resolutions shall not fall  
below the rate of 6 per centum per  
annum in cash and every one of the  
said three years, the said Shewan,  
Tomes & Co. as such General Man-  
agers as aforesaid be and they  
hereby are authorised to issue  
Debentures to the amount of  
not more than \$200,000 on the pro-  
perty of the Company to be secured  
by a duly executed Mortgage thereof  
by the Company to such persons as  
Trustees for and on behalf of the  
Debenture holders as the said She-  
wan, Tomes & Co. may by written  
under their hand appoint. The said  
Debentures to be issued in the shape  
of Bonds for \$1,000 or \$100 each  
at the Debenture holders' option re-  
spectively but so that the aggregate  
taken together shall not exceed the  
sum of \$200,000. The Bonds for  
and in respect of the said Debentures  
may be issued at a discount not ex-  
ceeding 25 per cent. on the face  
value thereof but so that the holders  
respectively of such Debentures  
shall not be entitled to be repaid  
more than the face value thereof.  
The said Debentures to bear interest  
at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum  
to be computed from the date of  
actual issue to the respective holders  
thereof and to be repayable within  
5 years from and after the date of  
such actual issue in manner follow-  
ing, that is to say: No portion of the  
amount paid in respect of any of  
such Debentures shall be repayable  
during the first three years  
following the date of the actual issue  
thereof but upon the expiration of  
such period of three years, there  
shall be repaid in respect of each De-  
benture to each and every holder  
thereof

(a) One quarter of the amount paid in  
respect thereof within six calendar  
months following the expiration of  
the said period of three years;

(b) One quarter of the amount paid in  
respect thereof within twelve calen-  
dar months following the expira-  
tion of the said period of three  
years; and

(c) One quarter of the amount paid in  
respect thereof within eighteen calen-  
dar months following the expira-  
tion of the said period of three  
years; and

(d) One quarter of the amount paid in  
respect thereof within twenty-four  
calendar months following the expira-  
tion of the said period of three  
years.

Should the above Resolutions be duly  
passed they will be submitted for confir-  
mation as Special Resolutions to a Special  
Extraordinary General Meeting which will be  
subsequently convened.

Dated this 16th day of June, 1933.  
SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,  
General Managers.

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Hongkong, April 2, 1933. 140

## Intimations.

## EXCURSION TO MACAO.

THE favourite S.S. CHU KONG will  
leave for Macao every SUNDAY at  
8.30 a.m., returning from Macao at 5.30  
p.m.  
Return Fare \$2.00 (including Tiffin and  
Dinner \$4.00).

WING ON S.S. CO.,  
42, Bonham Street, W.  
Hongkong, June 19, 1933. 1286

## NOTICE.

THE Steamship 'WING CHAI' will  
NOT RUN for the next few days.  
SAM WANG & CO., LTD.,  
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Hongkong, June 25, 1933. 1311

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CURRENT PRICES.  
Hongkong, January 31, 1933. 210

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Hongkong, April 17, 1933. 865

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Hongkong, April 1, 1933. 721

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Hongkong, April 2, 1933. 140

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WOODLANDS WEST, No. 17, Sey-  
mour Road, from 15th June.  
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'E. W.'  
Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office.  
Hongkong, May 15, 1933. 1844

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FOUR NICE NEWLY-PAINTED FLOORS,  
In First-class Condition.  
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C. E. LE MUNYON'S  
New Store,  
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P.O. Box 268.  
Hongkong, June 2, 1933. 1175

## TO BE LET.

FURNISHED, IAN MOR (West), Peak  
Road  
Apply to  
MAJOR TUDOR, R.E.,  
or  
HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE  
CO., LTD.  
Hongkong, June 17, 1933. 1274

## TO LET.

NO. 2 RIFON TERRACE IN FLATS.  
HOUSES IN LEIGHTON HILL ROAD.  
FLATS IN MORRISON TERRACE, CADEWAY  
BAY, FACING THE POLO GROUND.  
GODOWNS AT BOWBROOK (Praya  
East).

Apply to  
THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-  
MENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.  
Hongkong, June 8, 1933. 1239

## TO LET.

ONE 1st-CLASS SPACIOUS GODOWN  
at West Point.  
Apply to  
'GODOWN',  
Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office.  
Hongkong, June 15, 1933. 1267

## TO LET.

WOODLANDS VILLA EAST, Seymour  
Road. Six-Roomed Semi-detached  
House. Good View of the Harbour.  
Apply to  
DALMADA & MILLAR,  
16, Des Voeux Road Central.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1933. 1078

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Apply  
'C. L.'  
Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office.  
Hongkong, June 13, 1933. 1248

## TO LET.

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NO. 3, UPPER RICHMOND ROAD,  
for Six months from 1st June.  
Apply  
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Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office.  
Hongkong, June 17, 1933. 1271

## TO LET.

A PART of No. 4, BLUE BUILDINGS,  
(Bottom Floor), with Bath-room and  
Kitchen.  
Rent moderate.  
Apply to  
No. 4, BLUE BUILDINGS.  
Hongkong, June 20, 1933. 1299

## TO LET.

TWO SPACIOUS GODOWNS—Nos. 95  
and 96, PRAYA EAST.  
TWO ROOMS above New VICTORIA  
HOTEL.  
Apply to  
H. N. MODY,  
Victoria Buildings.  
Hongkong, December 2, 1932. 2483

## TO LET.

'FERNSIDE' ROBINSON ROAD.  
Apply  
E. M. HAZELAND,  
35, Queen's Road Central.  
Hongkong, June 23, 1933. 1318

## TO LET.

1ST and 2ND FLOORS MARINE  
HOUSE, No. 17, QUEEN'S ROAD  
CENTRAL, rents very moderate.  
Apply to  
LI KWONG LOONG,  
No. 1, Wyndham Street.  
Hongkong, June 24, 1933. 1287

## Auctions.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-  
tions to Sell by Public Auction,  
on  
**SATURDAY,**  
the 27th June, 1933, at 2.30 p.m., at his  
SALES ROOMS, DUNDRELL STREET,  
A QUANTITY OF USEFUL  
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

And,  
A FINE LOT OF ELECTRO-PLATE (Navy).  
1 COTTAGE FLAT.  
2 SEMI-GRAND FLATS.

Also,  
2 SECOND-HAND TYPE-WRITERS.  
(Particulars from Catalogue).  
On View from Friday, 26th June.  
TERMS:—Cash on delivery.

GEO. P. LAMBERT,  
Auctioneer.  
Hongkong, June 26, 1933. 1316

Particulars and Conditions of the Letting  
by Public Auction Sale, to be held  
on Monday, the 27th day of June,  
1933, at 3 p.m., at the Office of the  
Public Works Department, by Order  
of His Excellency the Governor, of On-  
Lot of Crown Land at Kennedy Road  
near the Union Church in the Colony  
of Hongkong, for a term of 21 Years.

Particulars of the Lot.

No. of Lot	Area in Sq. Yds.	Area in Sq. Ft.	Area in Acres	Area in Roods	Area in Poles	Area in Perches	Area in Rods	Area in Poles	Area in Perches
1	100	100	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023
2	100	100	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023
3	100	100	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023
4	100	100	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023
5	100	100	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023
6	100	100	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023
7	100	100	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023
8	100	100	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023
9	100	100	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023
10	100	100	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023	0.0023

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## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-  
tions to Sell by Public Auction,  
on  
**TUESDAY,**  
the 28th June, 1933, at 2.30 p.m., at No. 6,  
CHANCERY LANE,  
A QUANTITY OF  
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

(Full Particulars from Catalogue).  
On view from Monday, the 26th June.  
TERMS:—Cash on delivery.

GEO. P. LAMBERT,  
Auctioneer.  
Hongkong, June 25, 1933. 1340

## To Let.

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FURNISHED HOUSE to Let at Kow-  
loon. Immediate possession if required.  
Apply to  
'S. G.'  
Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office.  
Hongkong, June 3, 1933. 1181

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Hongkong, March 30, 1933. 700

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6 ROOMED CORNER HOUSE. \$100 each in-  
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of Jackson, in order to guard against a  
general massacre of the Jackson grand jury  
which is considering evidence of a number  
of local murders says a New York telegram  
of May 25.

The crimes have grown out of a feud  
which dates from 1896 and is the outcome  
of political rivalry between Mr. Hargis and  
Mr. Cardwell for the office of marshal in the  
town of Jackson, which terminated in the  
murder of Mr. Hargis by Mr. Cardwell,  
whose adherents were finally victorious in 1901.

This victory resulted in the slaying of a  
relative of Mr. Hargis by Judge Cockrell,  
whereupon the partisans of Mr. Hargis re-  
taliated by killing two of Judge Cockrell's  
adherents, whose leader, Mr. J. B. Marcus,  
was assassinated. It is the authors of  
these crimes who are now to be tried







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MEMOS. FOR TOMORROW.

Meeting.

11 a.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of  
China Light & Power Co., Ltd., at the  
Company's Offices.

Auction.

2:30 p.m.—Auction of a Quantity of  
Household Furniture, &c., at Mr. Geo.  
P. Lamont's Sales Rooms.

Miscellaneous.

3 p.m.—Competition for Spoons, of the  
Hongkong Rifle Association.

Transfer Books of The Hongkong Electric  
Co., Ltd., closed from this date to the  
11th July, inclusive.

General Memoranda.

MONDAY, June 29:—

3 p.m.—Auction of Crown Lands at the  
Public Works Department's Offices.

5:45 p.m.—Meeting of Victoria Recreation  
Club at the Club Gymnasium,  
Kowloon.

Goods per *Wimberly* undelivered after  
this date subject to rent.

Goods per *Stratford* have not cleared on  
this date subject to rent.

TUESDAY, June 30:—

8:30 p.m.—Meeting of Hongkong Water  
Polo at V.R.C.

WEDNESDAY, July 1:—

9 p.m.—Meeting of *Setland Lodge*.

THURSDAY, July 2:—

Goods per *Hambury* undelivered after  
this date subject to rent.



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26th June, 1903.

## DEATH.

On the 10th of June, 1903, at Szechuen,  
of meningitis of the brain, HAMPDEN DU  
BOIS, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Wm. F.  
Junkin, aged one year, one month, and  
twelve days.

The publication of this issue commenced  
at 5.30 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 1903.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT.

It may not have occurred  
to anyone in Hongkong  
THE PLAGUE, to be thankful because  
we have not suffered so  
severely here as they have in India  
through the effects of plague. So far  
back as 1895, when Dr. Lawson was  
lent by the Colonial Office to give  
his then unique experience in plague  
matters, Bombay was severely stricken.  
Our worthy Dr. Lawson had a hard  
tussle against the jealousy of the mil-  
itary medicals, but he concluded his  
service to India by issuing a most  
valuable report on the Plague, which  
perhaps is as valuable a report on the  
subject as has yet been published. The  
unfortunate experience of Bombay has  
evidently produced some originality in  
the medical faculty, as would appear  
from an extract from the *Times of  
India*, which we published yesterday.  
The Health Officer of Bombay (Dr. A.  
J. Turner) has offered a novel sugges-  
tion to suppress plague. To remove  
300,000 people from infected houses,  
isolate these people, on floating  
houses, or piers, demolish the insan-  
itary quarters, disinfect vacant  
houses, and prevent immigration;—  
that is the little plan put for-  
ward by the Health Officer of Bombay.  
It is not to be expected that such a  
scheme would ever be carried out in its  
entirety, but the fact of its having been  
propounded as a possibility says much  
for the enterprise of the Health Depart-  
ment in that part of the world. As Dr.  
Turner says, 'This may appear a large  
undertaking, but, apart from the money  
difficulty, it is perfectly feasible.' Now,  
to turn to our own little Colony, what  
steps do we propose to take to prevent  
the scourge from sweeping over the  
Island as it is now doing nearly every  
year? Our new Health Ordinance is  
practically a dead letter, until the  
Secretary of State gives his  
sanction, after his 'careful consid-  
eration' of its provisions. We are  
now nearing the close of the Plague  
season, it is sincerely hoped, and  
now is the time to start in with preven-  
tive measures. Unfortunately Chinese  
houses in Hongkong could not be swept  
away like the poorer houses in Bombay,  
and the gradual movement to prevent  
overcrowding has been undoubtedly  
hampered by the action of Mr. Chamber-  
lain in delaying sanction to the Health  
Ordinance. It is to be hoped H. E. the  
Governor has fully explained this posi-  
tion to the Secretary of State, for it is  
a serious thing for Hongkong to have  
its trade hampered and almost stopped  
by the annual recurrence of this bubonic  
fever.

More Bank Failures.  
A telegram to the *Kobe Herald* from  
Peking, says:—The Kowloon and six other  
Chinese banks at Peking have been declar-  
ed bankrupt in consequence of the financial  
panic in Peking and the burning down of  
the Finance Department.

Crickets at Shanghai.  
Shanghai Recreation Club and the Y.M.  
C.A. played a match on Saturday last, the  
former winning by four runs. The scores  
were 97 and 93 runs respectively. Shang-  
hai Cricket Club also defeated a Country  
Club team by 113 runs to 106. A match that  
will be certainly a novelty is to take place  
to-morrow between the Shanghai Municipal  
Police and the Shanghai Poles. In India,  
the Poles have played cricket on a  
standard of excellence that may be classed  
with second-class County cricket at home.

About Beverages.  
This is very thirsty weather and the  
temptation is to gulp down huge quantities  
of fluid to assuage the thirst, with the  
result that the more we drink the worse we  
feel. Excessive perspiration sets in and a  
most uncomfortable and unrefreshing feeling  
follows. Well, what are we to do? The  
Lancet says: 'Eat sound, ripe, juicy fruit.'  
That is the best relief for thirst in hot  
weather, and, indeed, a good relief at any  
time. At meal times, the right place for  
fruit of the description just mentioned  
is to make it the first course and not the  
last, as is too often the custom amongst us.  
Those who adopt this new plan say that  
they find a good juicy slice of melon before  
dinner a much better stimulant to the  
appetite and aid to digestion than the  
cocktail, or the time-honoured sherry and  
bitters.—*Indian Paper.*

Croupy Children.  
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## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## Anti-Diphtheria Lozenges.

Lozenges containing the anti-diphtheria  
serum discovered by Professor Roux,  
of the Pasteur Institute, are now being  
prepared for the after-treatment of  
diphtheria, it having been found that the  
bacillus of the disease remains in the saliva  
for some time after a cure has been appar-  
ently effected.

## The Storm.

The heavy showers of rain yesterday  
did a little damage and caused some in-  
convenience in the City. The muddy streets  
in the Central district prevented ricksha  
coolies from wheeling their fares at the  
usual break-neck speed, whilst in  
other districts, soil from the hills  
was washed over the streets. At  
Bowen Road a slight landslide occurred  
and at Kowloon City Road, portion of the  
earth above also slipped. The Metropole  
Hotel was also damaged; part of the roof  
falling in.

## Alleged Embezzlement.

Yesterday, Lance-Sergeant Wildin (89)  
arrested the accountant of the Tailors  
Guild, at No. 13 Fat Hing Street, on a war-  
rant issued at the Central Police Station,  
charging him with embezzlement. The ac-  
countant, it is alleged, robbed the firm of  
\$198.52. He appeared before Mr. F. A.  
Hazeland at the Magistrate's this morning,  
and was defended by Mr. F. N. d'Almeida  
& Castro, solicitor. Mr. O. D. Thompson  
appeared on behalf of the prosecution.  
Mr. Almeida applied for bail, which was  
fixed at \$200. The case was remanded till  
Friday week.

## The 'Foon Seng' Must Pay Salvage.

The *Manila Callers* of June 22 says,  
Judge Sweeney yesterday handed down a  
decision in the maritime case of the *Manila  
Transportation and Construction Company*  
against the S. S. *Foon Seng*. It will be re-  
membered that the *Foon Seng* came into  
port from Hongkong, in April 1902, seek-  
ing a purchaser. The vessel remained in  
the harbor until some time in July, when  
she was endangered by a typhoon and re-  
scued by the launch *Madge* belonging to the  
plaintiff company. The plaintiff asked sal-  
vage for saving the *Foon Seng* and the  
court found in accordance with the petition.  
Salvage was allowed to the amount of 2500  
pesos which were distributed among the  
crew of the launch *Madge* and the crew of  
the *Beta*, another vessel which rendered  
some assistance to the threatened *Foon  
Seng*.

## Heavily Insured Warships.

Some heavy insurances are now being  
effected in London and Liverpool upon the  
battleship *Campus*, valued at \$700,000,  
says the *United Service Gazette*. She is  
about to be repaired and refitted at Birken-  
head, during which period the builders in-  
sured liability for fire and marine risks. It  
may not be generally known that although  
British battleships, when in the service of  
the Admiralty, are never insured, they are  
almost invariably covered against all risks  
while in the hands of the builders. Quite  
recently insurances were effected upon the  
*Albatross* for £200,000 while under repair at  
Glasgow, and on the *Endymion* for £250,000  
during her sojourn at Belfast. The *man-  
chinery* and boilers built at Belfast for the  
*Killybegs* VII, were insured for  
£197,000, and later the torpedo destroyers  
*Felce* and *Erne* were covered for £67,000  
each, during construction on the Tyne.

## Reviving the Dead.

Dr. Robert C. Kemp, a physician of  
repute in New York, declares, as the result  
of a series of remarkable experiments, that  
the resuscitation of persons after death  
under certain conditions can be accom-  
plished. He has, as he asserts, proved it  
beyond a doubt by operations upon dogs,  
whose hearts had ceased to beat. He  
described his method before the New York  
Academy of Science, thus:—My method is  
to make a small incision between two ribs,  
and to thrust in two fingers until they  
touch the heart. The heart is then pressed  
against the ribs, giving it the  
motion of a 'natural' beat. At the  
same time a saline solution is infused into  
the patient, and respiration is induced by  
means of a pump invented by Mr. Hoyt,  
General Electrician at the College of Physi-  
cians and Surgeons. The Hoyt tube,  
which is practically the same as the Odyer  
tube, used for croup, is attached to the  
pump and thrust down the throat to the  
windpipe. Massage of the heart starts the  
human mechanism as to speak, and other  
methods are used to restore the other  
functions, so that the patient, who was  
dead, actually lives again. In operating  
upon dogs killed with chloroform we suc-  
ceeded in resuscitating eleven out of twenty-  
three subjects. Dr. Kemp tried about a  
year ago to resuscitate a human being, but  
failed. With his present experience he be-  
lieves that he will yet succeed.

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## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## Honours for General Kuropatkin.

The Mikado has conferred on General  
Kuropatkin the Grand Cordon of the Ris-  
ing Sun, and on Generals Sollokhov and  
Wogack, the principal members of General  
Kuropatkin's suite, the First Class of the  
Rising Sun, and the First Class of the  
Sacred Treasure, respectively.

## More Gamblers.

Inspector Smith, and a party of police,  
entered No. 14 Cochrane Street last night  
and arrested 30 natives playing at *Pai  
Koc*. Twenty of the prisoners were cooks  
in the employ of Europeans, and in com-  
pany with the others were charged before  
Mr. F. A. Hazeland this morning. One  
of the prisoners, for keeping a common  
gambling den, was fined \$150, and the  
rest were fine \$3 each for gambling.

## The Crisis in Kwangsi.

It is reported in local Mandarin circles  
that when H. E. Tsen Ch'un-huen, Vice-  
roy-designate of the Two Kwang provinces,  
arrived at Wooning last week en route  
South, H. E. found waiting for him an  
Imperial edict empowering H. E. to do  
anything he saw fit to suppress the discon-  
tent in Kwangsi province, and also to  
secretly investigate the conduct of Governor  
Wang Chih-ch'un for report to the Throne.

## Band at Hongkong Hotel.

By kind permission of Major Radcliff  
and Officers, the Band of the 33rd Burma  
Infantry will play the following programme  
at the above Hotel, to-morrow (Sat-  
urday) evening, from 8 to 9:30 p.m.:—  
March..... 'Les Soldats qui  
Passent'..... Mario Costa  
Overture..... 'Die Felsenmühle'..... Reissiger  
Selection..... 'The Toreador'..... Monckton  
Song..... 'The Maid of Malabar'..... Adams  
Selection..... 'Les Clanches de Cor-  
noville'..... Pianquette  
Valse..... 'Amoureuse'..... Berger  
Two-Step..... 'Mumblin Moss'..... Thurban  
GOD SAVE THE KING.

## Armed Robbery at New Territory.

Some time in March an armed robbery  
occurred in the New Territory, a native  
named Tang Tso Fuk, being robbed by  
thieves and badly injured by revolver shots.  
Tang was on his way home from the Sham  
Chai Market, when, on reaching his house,  
he was seized by the queue by armed men  
and shortly afterwards was shot on the left  
hip. Shortly afterwards a second report  
rang out and another bullet struck  
him on the head and left eye. Tang's wife,  
having the shots, ran to his assistance,  
but she was seized and both were dragged  
into the house by the men. They were  
locked in a room which was guarded by one  
of the gang, and the others commenced to  
ransack the premises. They then decamped  
with \$120 in silver coins, \$4.10 in gold,  
a gold chain and charm valued at \$22.10s,  
a large number of rings valued at \$31.10s,  
and a quantity of clothing and other goods.  
Their footprints were traced by the police  
and one of the thieves was arrested, and  
tried at New Territory on the 15th inst.  
by Mr. E. R. Holifax, Assistant Superinten-  
dent of Police. The trial occupied some  
time, and the prisoner was committed for  
trial at the next Criminal sessions.

## Exciting Wrestling Bouts.

Lovers of wrestling and those who  
have a thirst for excitement will see much  
to suit their tastes at the large match  
staged opposite the Central Market.  
There, for a few weeks, wrestling bouts  
will be given by big, brawny, long-haired  
Japanese. Last night the season was open-  
ed, and those who attended saw much that  
was novel and exciting. On a raised plat-  
form of solid earth in the centre of the shed  
audience men, stripped of all except a girdle  
round the loins, met in fierce combat and  
threw one another about in a manner more  
conducive to broken bones than anything  
else. The style is Japanese—a catch-as-  
catch-can that allows thrust holds and the  
liberal use of open-handed blows. It may  
be judged such liberties led to stinging  
tussles, and last night two or three of the  
men seemed disposed to discard wrestling  
tactics altogether, and settle the matter  
with closed fists. There were twenty or  
thirty men engaged and they ranged  
themselves in sides of ten or fifteen. Most  
of the bouts were single, and the best two  
out of three won. At one time, however,  
the participants assembled at two sides of  
the platform—if it can be so described—and  
entered into a conflict of an extremely fierce  
description. The men took the form of  
the English schoolboy game known as the  
'King of the Castle,' although a man had  
to defeat five opponents in succession before  
he could be declared the winner, and only  
two men were allowed on the platform at  
the one time. The battle waged furiously  
for a considerable period. Sometimes one  
man would succeed in flinging three of his  
opponents right and left in ignominious  
heaps, and then he would meet his doom,  
perhaps being thrown with fearful violence  
out of bounds. At length a huge fellow  
stepped forward, and, with marvellous  
rapidity and peculiar method laid five of  
the fellows kicking in the dust. The exhibi-  
tion roused the spectators to a high pitch  
of excitement, and the victor was loudly  
applauded. The wrestling will be contin-  
ued every night, commencing at 6 p.m. until  
further notice.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## Foreign Methods of Fishing.

The *China Times* is informed that a  
British limited company with a capital of  
\$1,000,000 is about to be formed at Shing-  
hai to introduce foreign methods of fishing  
on the China coast.

## Injunction Against Onions.

A jury at Indianapolis, U.S., have  
granted an injunction restraining a family  
in a flat from cooking onions. The applica-  
tion was made by the occupants of the  
next flat, who complained that the onion  
fumes annoyed them.

## Husband's Devotion.

There is a farmer at Aurillac, France,  
who has not been out of his house for  
eighteen months. His wife has nervous  
prostration, and so he has given up every-  
thing connected with outside life, even his  
daily exercise, to attend to her wants.

## The 'Alacrity'.

H.M.S. *Alacrity*, which is now lying  
at Messrs. Farham, Boyd and Co.'s Old  
Dock Buoy, Shanghai, is being refitted with  
new dynamo. It is expected that this  
work will be completed about the 1st of  
July, when she will proceed forthwith to  
Wei-hai-wei.

## Buddhism and the Plague.

That Burma, in spite of its close  
connection with Calcutta, has all along  
been immune from plague, has often been  
a matter of surprise and comment; as much  
in fact as has been the case of Ceylon, says  
the *Times of Ceylon*. An ingenious ex-  
planation is forthcoming in a Burma  
vernacular newspaper. Burma being at  
present the Buddhist country par excellence,  
an amount of good karma has been accu-  
mulated which is stupendous and irresistible  
and resists all efforts of plague to get a  
footing in Burma! On the other hand, it  
is contended that the impiety and hideous-  
ness of the Hindu religion has accumulated  
an irresistible sum of evil karma—national  
karma so to speak—which has brought in  
its wake its retribution in the form of an  
inextinguishable epidemic. The practical form  
of this Buddhist reasoning is to be found  
in the suggestion that a wealthy society  
shall be found to send exalted monks to all  
infected parts, who, by reciting appropriate  
prayer texts, would create a favourable karma  
and eventually rid India of the plague.  
Incidentally, of course, it would bring about  
a revival of Buddhism. Perhaps our  
contemporary will in this case also explain  
the similarity between Ceylon and Burma,  
and whether it is the good karma ac-  
cumulated by the Buddhists in Ceylon or the  
sound precautionary measures of the local  
Government which have kept plague away  
from our doors.

## The Awakening of China.

The London correspondent of the  
*Manchester Guardian* writes:—A corre-  
spondent sends me evidence of an interest-  
ing and, it may be important movement  
amongst Chinese of the higher ranks. He  
was introduced to two young Chinese, one  
studying law in London, the other medi-  
cine in Edinburgh. They were both sent  
abroad at the expense of a wealthy and  
progressive Manchurian prince, and I under-  
stand that the number of young Chinese  
abroad just now under similar circum-  
stances, either at the expense of their  
parents' or of wealthy patrons and friends  
is very considerable, and is rapidly  
growing. The Manchurian and Mongol  
princes—the proudest, most ignorant, and  
most reactionary of all classes in the coun-  
try—are sending their sons to travel abroad,  
though not as yet to reside and study  
there. Several of these young nobles  
are visiting Japan especially for the  
great exhibition at Osaka and are then  
going to Hongkong and the Straits  
Settlements. If this ruling aristocracy  
could be liberalised and educated there  
might be hope for China even yet. Of  
young Chinese of a less exalted class, I am  
told that there are over 800 now studying in  
Japan, many of whom have been sent there  
by the viceroys and governors of various  
provinces at the public expense. Japan of  
course has the great advantage of being  
close at hand, of being comparatively cheap  
to live in, and of possessing a language  
congenial to Chinese. But the Chinese ob-  
jection to it, oddly enough, is that the  
students return from Japan with 'revolu-  
tionary ideas,' and talk, after being a short  
time there, of popular rights, equality,  
liberty, and the like. So much concern  
has this given to the Chinese Government  
that they have complained about it to the  
provincial authorities who send the students  
abroad, and have desired them in future to  
send as many of the young men as possible  
to Europe and the United States rather  
than to Japan. The whole movement  
denotes a change in the ideals of the Chi-  
nese literary class, which may produce  
important consequences for their country.

## For Sprains.

THE right time to treat a sprain is the  
minute you get it, and the right  
remedy to use is CHAMBERLAIN'S  
PAIN BALM. You can say that you will  
about this or that thing being good for a  
sprain, but Chamberlain's Pain Balm beats  
them all. The quicker you rub it on, and  
the more you use it, the sooner the sprain  
will be gone. Even if Chamberlain's Pain  
Balm gets you back to work one day  
quicker than other remedies, it will pay for  
itself several times, but it generally cures a  
sprain, strain, or a bruise a week before  
anything else, and, a week's wages amount  
to a good deal to most people. One applica-  
tion gives relief. For sale by all  
chemists and medicine vendors:—WATKINS  
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## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## The Plague.

Only three cases of plague, including  
two deaths (all Chinese), were reported for  
the 24 hours ended noon to-day. One  
body was 'found' and another was re-  
moved from the S.S. *Asping Maru* lying  
in the harbour.

## Kabuto Beer.

Messrs. MacEwan, Frickel and Co., of  
Duddell-street, have forwarded us samples  
of the Japanese Kabuto beer, which is  
becoming more popular every day. The  
lager is most palatable, and being light  
forms a drink which it would, in beer, be  
hard to surpass.

## The Benefit of Example.

According to a Peking letter, it is  
rumoured that in consequence of the  
Government's presumed acquiescence in the  
demands of Russia in Manchuria, the  
German Legation tentatively sent a  
demand to the Waiwupu regarding special  
privileges in the Yanatte Valley and on  
both banks of that river from Chinking to  
Ichang, in Hupeh province. The demand,  
it is alleged, was made on the basis of the  
favoured nation clause.

## The Peking-Pootung Railway.

It was reported in local Mandarin circles  
yesterday, says the *N. C. Daily News*, of  
June 22, that a Consul, P'ien Ch'ing-lan,  
having denounced the officials in charge of  
the Peking-Pootung Railway of population  
and other misdeeds, an Imperial Rescript  
has been sent to the Director-General  
of Railways, Sheng Kung-pao, to investigate  
the charges. It may be here stated, on  
passant, that H. E. Hu Yu-fen is at the  
head of the Peking-Pootung Railway.

## From China to Europe on Horseback.

Lieutenant von Salzmann has wired  
from Kashgar to General von Rohr, Reich,  
that he arrived at that place on the 11th  
inst., man and horse being in best health.  
Lieutenant von Salzmann left Tientsin on  
the 4th January last in order to return  
overland to Europe. He was mounted on  
an Australian waler and accompanied by  
only one Chinese mule and two ponies.  
He was to go through Mongolia to Bokand,  
the end of the railway in Russian Turkistan.

## Water Polo.

An advertisement appears elsewhere  
announcing that the entries for the water  
polo shield competition will close to-  
morrow. Teams entering are also request-  
ed to send representatives to attend the  
meeting to be held at the V.R.C. on Tues-  
day next. In all probability the V.R.C.,  
H. K. V. C. (Right half No. 1 Co),  
Y.M.C.A., Shorwood Foresters, Royal  
Engineers, Royal Garrison Artillery, and  
the Club Lusitano will enter for the com-  
petition.

## The Bicycle in China.

The United States Consul at New-  
chwang has written an interesting report  
on the possibilities which lie before the  
bicycle in China. He seems to think that  
the Chinaman would readily take to the  
cycle could he afford to buy it, and he is of  
opinion that even now the extent to which  
the purchasing power of the native. Here,  
then, is a great chance for the bicycle  
manufacturer. Among China's millions  
there should be endless scope for the sale  
of cheap machines. The report gives  
some very practical hints to the manu-  
facturer, who may consider the question  
of exporting cycles to China. It points  
out that the roads are somewhat rough,  
and that a substantial machine is required  
to traverse them. Moreover, as the Chi-  
nese man is by no means a great mechanic,  
bicycles intended for his use should not be  
too delicate nor require much in the way  
of repairs. Another thing which is fairly  
obvious even to those who have not studied  
the Chinaman in his own country is that,  
owing to his style of dress, he would  
generally prefer machines designed for  
ladies. It is rather surprising that this has  
not been the case in India, but possibly the  
fact that it has not been so is due to lack  
of foresight on the part of the exporter  
in not catering sufficiently for the possible  
demand. The modern bicycle, points out  
the report, has several great disadvantages  
in China. The pneumatic tyre is subject to  
puncture and is hard to repair, the pedals  
are being too low, and strike obstacles such  
as stones and rough ground, and the chain  
gets full of grit and is annoying in many  
ways. It is noticeable that in remedying  
all these difficulties the cost of the machine  
would be decreased rather than augmented.  
But we fear that if the Consul's forecast  
blossoms out into a recognised fact, and the  
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FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 1903.

## TELEGRAMS.

## THE SOMALAND EXPEDITION.

## The Mullah Well Posted.

General Manning at Bechote.

London, June 24, 1903.

A number of educated men are with the Mullah, including some interpreters formerly employed by the British Navy. The enemy is well acquainted with our methods and has a regular intelligence system connected with Jubeluti and other posts.

The Mullah's force includes 1,600 riflemen and a mob of spearmen. The British force will be about 6,000 of all arms.

Experts maintain that owing to the transport problem, a mere pouring of troops into the country will only increase the difficulties, and they advocate the later South African tactics of small light columns.

General Manning telegraphs that he arrived at Bechote on the 25th (sic) (21st) having left an adequate garrison at Danot.

## THE KING OF SERBIA'S WELCOME.

King Peter met with an enthusiastic reception on his arrival at Belgrade and attended Mass at the Cathedral.

The Russian and Austrian Ministers were at the station.

Their demeanour was grave and nervous throughout the ceremony.

The Premier presented the leaders of the Government to the King, including the chief conspirator Machin, who was received in silence.

## [MANILA CABLE NEWS SERVICE.]

## THE UNITED STATES ELECTIONS.

New York, June 20.

Grover Cleveland, former President of the United States, says that he is not a candidate for a third term. He hopes out of the field after much cogitation. Cleveland has had extraordinary prominence as a candidate in the last few days.

Ulysses S. Grant is a candidate for the nomination of Vice-President of the United States. His home is at San Diego, California. He has no special popularity.

## [NEW ORLEANS TELETYPE SERVICE.]

## MOURNING IN RUSSIA.

Berlin, June 19.

Official mourning of twenty-four days has been ordered in Russia on account of the death of King Alexander and Queen Draga.

## THE HUNGARIAN CRISIS.

The attempt of Count Stephan Tisza to form a new Cabinet in Hungary, on the basis of an understanding (ungleich) with Austria, has failed.

## RUSSIA AND GERMANY.

Representatives of Russia and Germany will meet here within a short time with a view to preparing a new commercial treaty between the two countries.

## THE GERMAN ELECTIONS.

The final result of the elections for the Reichstag is as follows: The Socialists have elected 54 candidates, and will participate in 122 second ballots out of 124. The Conservatives have elected 31 candidates (37 candidates for second ballot), the Liberals 28 (35 second ballot), the Poles 14 (3 second ballot), the Free-Conservatives 6 (16 second ballot), the Agrarians 0 (4 second ballot), the National-Liberals 5 (65 second ballot), the Democrats 1 (13 second ballot), the Farmers' Alliance 3 (6 second ballot), those belonging to no party 5 (11 second ballot). The other parties have so far elected no candidates, but will participate in the second ballot, viz., the Radical Liberals 24 times, the Moderate Liberals 11, the Democrats 8, the Wells 8, and the Agrarians once.

## [N.Y. DAILY NEWS SERVICE.]

## A SAVAGE RAID IN FORMOSA.

Tokyo, June 20.

One hundred and fifty Formosan savages attacked a camphor refinery at Gilan, and killed eleven Japanese, including police.

## THE SERBIAN REVOLUTION.

London, June 20.

Lord Lansdowne, speaking in the House of Lords, said that the British representative would remain at Belgrade to protect British interests; but he was instructed to do nothing which might be construed into recognition of the provisional government, and he is ordered to leave Belgrade when the new reign is inaugurated.

## THE PEKING-KALGAN RAILWAY.

Peking, June 20.

Although it has been stated that the railway from Peking to Chang-chiakou (Kalgan) is to be built by a Chinese syndicate with Chinese capital, it is now understood that this syndicate is a Russian puppet.

## TELEGRAMS.

## THE ATTITUDE OF PRINCE CHING.

It is generally understood in the Diplomatic Body that Prince Ching while unable to receive the British and Japanese Ministers, has accorded several interviews to the Russian Minister, and is gradually being converted to acquiescence in the designs of Russia.

## THE PROPOSED TRANSFER OF THE TREATY REVISION NEGOTIATIONS TO PEKING.

Peking, June 19.

The Board of Foreign Affairs (Waiwupu) has sent an official communication to the Diplomatic Body, stating that the reason for transferring the Treaty Revision negotiations to Peking was to avoid the trouble and delay of constant telegraphing between Peking and the commissioners, and to conclude the negotiations as quickly as possible; and the Board hoped that the Diplomatic Body would agree to the transfer.

Mr. Uchida, the Japanese Minister, has officially communicated to the Chinese Government his opposition to the transfer of the negotiations to Peking.

## THE MANCHURIAN QUESTION.

Mr. Uchida called at the Waiwupu yesterday, and demanded the opening of Moukden and Tatungkou as treaty ports, but the demand was rejected at once, the reason given being the objection of the Russian Government.

General Kuropatkin is extending his stay, and went to Shiao to-day. The agreement that has been reported and discredited was possibly a *letton d'esai*.

## PRINCE CHING'S ATTITUDE.

Peking, June 19.

Prince Ching seems to be disposed to avoid meeting the Foreign Ministers. Yesterday he refused to see Mr. Uchida, on some pretence, notwithstanding that an appointment had been made; and to-day he also refused to see Mr. Tompkins, the British Chargé d'Affaires.

## VOLCANO IN THE PHILIPPINES.

Mt. Mayon Threatens to Become Active.

Reports brought to Manila on June 21, say that the *Volcano*, located in the Province of Albay, has been in frequent eruption during the last two weeks. Earthquakes follow in rapid succession, and although the flow of lava has not yet been of sufficient quantity to do damage to the little barrios which nestle at the foot of the mountain, the people have deserted their homes in these places apprehensive of the future of the volcano.

The eruption of Mayon's present increased activity is brought by coast-wise seamen, is interesting. The volcano stands very close to the Gulf of Albay, about nine miles from the Province of Albay, has been in frequent eruption during the last two weeks. Earthquakes follow in rapid succession, and although the flow of lava has not yet been of sufficient quantity to do damage to the little barrios which nestle at the foot of the mountain, the people have deserted their homes in these places apprehensive of the future of the volcano.

About June 8 last, a night earthquake aroused the natives to a realization that there was something doing within the walls of this majestic pinnacle, and recalled the terrible destruction wrought in the 1890s, when Old Mayon belched forth an awful flood of molten lava, burying several barrios and causing hundreds of Filipinos to perish, they immediately became apprehensive of what might follow and while the moon shone brightly, the sight of the dark, smoking mountain, with a few light of molten lava, hanging over the crater, seemed to them a portent of doom.

The seismic disturbances continued with increasing frequency yet the crater emitted nothing more than the curling column of sulphuric vapor which has always come from it; having the appearance in the day-time of smoke and at night in the moon light of a fiery snow-white cloud hanging over the crater perpetually from the heavens.

Finally one night about ten days ago appeared outward evidence that the fiery demons within the old volcano were becoming more active. There was no moon and the night was very dark. About 10 o'clock, when most of the natives were sleeping, there came a sudden violent rocking of the earth accompanied by a rumbling of the old volcano. The people, for miles around trembled out of their homes into the dark only to see the crater of Mayon in flames.

Terror-stricken they fled even in the darkness, and since then they have been slow to return to their homes—Mayon was, at last, awake, still rumbling and spitting out lava. It was just then by those who have seen these things before that a disastrous eruption is probable, but, so long as the volcano grows and gives out lava, just that long will the natives have fear.

In the spring of 1901, only a few months after American troops captured Legaspi and took possession of all the principal barrios in the province from that place to Ligo in one direction and Tabaco in the other, Old Mayon was in eruption for two days. No earthquakes accompanied these disturbances. There was a constant rumbling like the noise of distant thunder, and the columns of fiery lava shot high into the air, and came down the sides of the cone in a flood.

For forty-eight hours these disturbances continued and it is not known the soldiers on duty in the vicinity when it is said that more than once during the seismic convulsions many of the khaki boys were struck with fear and trembling at the spectacle. While the eruptions were in progress the heavens for miles around were filled with volcanic dust which settled over the country like a pall. For eight days it was just as dark as the blackest night. The lava dust continued to fall without cessation and covered everything. So dark was it that soldiers while walking past had to feel their way back and forth.

Finally the trying period ended. The last of the dust had settled upon the earth and everything it possessed, the sun shone upon Old Mayon, majestic as ever with not a trace of the terrible convulsions just terminated. All of the natives were in the hills and no lives were lost.

## LONDON LETTER.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

London, May 22, 1903.

Londoners are now so persistent in spending their Saturdays and Sundays in the fresh open air, that apart from the fact that the King and Queen in state opened the handsome new bridge at Kew over the Thames, which is to be named King Edward VII Bridge, much enthusiasm was created that at last the old state of affairs was to be swept away, and no longer would pedestrians have to jostle one another on a footpath where it was impossible for two to walk in comfort, or else take the centre of the bridge, where every week-end, motors, cycles and buses mix themselves up in a fearful and terrifying medley.

For a long time past the old bridge has been perfectly inadequate for the traffic which crosses the Thames on the way to the beautiful gardens of Kew or the terraces of Richmond, and we have waited impatiently for this new era of comfort. Fortunately, the rain, which like the poor seems always with us, kept off, and suburban London poured into the main roads to cheer their Majesties, who since their accession have taken part in so many enterprises designed to benefit the people. English taste in the matter of decorations in the course of frequent lessons is making rapid progress towards the really artistic, and glaring incongruities of styles and colours are less seldom seen. On this occasion, almost universal use was made of flags suspended from Venetian masts, and perhaps there is hardly a better adornment for a day procession. Royal Kensington, however, displayed red flowers, and the High Street was covered with a beautiful scene, which the King and Queen were quick to notice.

Any scheme to benefit Jack Tar commands spontaneous and sympathetic support, and it seemed quite in keeping that our Sailor Prince, the Heir Apparent, should, in company with the Princess of Wales, open the Sailors' Palace, which henceforth will be the central headquarters of the British and Foreign Sailors' Society. Situated in Limehouse, it is in the very heart of London sailorland, in the immediate vicinity of the docks. This neighbourhood bears a very bad name, and it is hoped that this new institution will do much to keep the mariners out of the temptations that always assail them when they land, and to which they naturally fall such easy prey when cast on their own resources with no place to which they can go. The building has cost up to the present £30,181, Mr. Passmore Edwards, generously contributing £14,000, and subscriptions have been received from many different quarters of the Globe, Portugal and America being especially generous. Of course, it will be open to men of all nationalities, and the more industrious can avail themselves of the department which has been called the King Edward VII Nautical School, where they can learn the necessary technical training to enable them to obtain the various certificates. Round the principal hall is a series of panels to commemorate the "Humble Heroes of the Sea," and the first has been given to a seaman who gave up his belt to a passenger and sank with the *s.s. Stella* rather than overload the boat. The Prince of Wales was attended by the whole of the Diplomatic Corps, and the East-End, loyal to the backbone, gave him a right hearty welcome for his kindly action in declaring the house open.

The speech with which Mr. Chamberlain favoured his constituents at Birmingham was so revolutionary as regards our avowed policy of free trade that it has aroused universal attention not only at home but on the Continent. It is, undoubtedly, a continuation of his life work of welding into a harmonious unity the various countries and settlements which go to make up the British Empire. It is not the duty of the mother to give her best to her own children, and why should not this apply to our Colonies, on whose prosperity so much of our own depends? In the past our policy has been free trade for all the world, but no-one who has studied commercial matters will fail to recognize that we are on the eve of a new era when old methods will cease to be efficacious. When Canada granted us preferential tariffs, Germany sought to interfere by imposing heavier duties on Canadian goods, but it is our duty to fight such meddling, and, if necessary, to abandon free trade and help our Colonies by protection. Of course, such a change could not be pursued without the consent of the country, but the feeling is that if the people at large were convinced that it would not involve an extra tax on the necessities of life, they would gladly approve of an arrangement which might seriously injure our great commercial rival Germany, because, I again reiterate, Germany is sullenly bitter and hostile. An attempt was made by some irresponsible newspapers and their supporters to induce people that this speech of the Colonial Secretary was proof that he

was at loggerheads with Mr. Balfour who absolutely refused to go back on Mr. Chamberlain's decision to repeal the corn law, but I have it on the best authority, that these two are in perfect agreement on this and other subjects, and that the repeal of the corn duty is intended as the sword of fate to sweep away the chances of the Radicals in the somewhat unlikely event of a General Election.

## GOLDEN LILIES.

To the eyes of foreigners Golden Lilies are a couple of the most striking features of Chinese ladies. They are in general possessed only by the ladies of the higher classes who are released from working out-doors, while the countrywomen, maid-servants, boat-women and working girls cannot afford to decorate themselves thus nicely. They augment, in a remarkable degree, the beauty of ladies, which constitutes one of their "Four Virtues" and characterize their most repressing and graceful manner. How much would a "dame" be divested of her elegance, if she should stride along stiffly, with steady steps like a stout man! As human affections are always intensified towards things delicate and graceful, a blooming rose joined on her slender support and waving helplessly in the wind attracts more human love through which her gay appearance is increased than in ordinary cases, seemingly inadequate in strength, for that weight, as that woman passing along, gracefully with her whole figure delicately waving in the air, will attract more popular love and interest, and display a greater degree of beauty than one who is man like.

Nature in her creation does not provide things with perfectness, but leaves some part for human art to complete. Canals are dug to facilitate navigation and plains are tilled for agriculture. Metals undergo long processes of refining before they amount to anything useful, and human minds need training and developing lest neglect should result in stupidity, the debasement of ethical dignity. The shoeing of horses to protect their hoofs, and numerous other practices are performed to complete the work unfinished by nature. No matter how richly endowed a lady may be, there seems to our eyes to be a defect in her physical symmetry, unless the gross magnitude of her figure is not abridged into a pair of Golden Lilies. This fact, foreign ladies also strive after, to increase the beauty of their figures by certain strange devices.

It may be puzzling to some readers to understand the meaning of the term "Golden Lilies" to bound feet without detailing the origin when this euphemistic term was derived. Among the circles of uneducated women, it is believed, as the legend says, that foot-binding originated in a pair of Golden Lilies. One day, a foreign lady also strive after, to increase the beauty of their figures by certain strange devices. It may be puzzling to some readers to understand the meaning of the term "Golden Lilies" to bound feet without detailing the origin when this euphemistic term was derived. Among the circles of uneducated women, it is believed, as the legend says, that foot-binding originated in a pair of Golden Lilies. One day, a foreign lady also strive after, to increase the beauty of their figures by certain strange devices.

The Chinese ladies being uneducated, often lack religious restraint and moral principles and by their susceptibility to temptation, are unprepared to be exposed to this wicked lustful world. As "Golden Lilies" result in inconvenience in walking, and deprive them of the freedom of wandering at will, they preserve many in chastity by keeping them in doors. In this light, it is a blessing to them to be concealed at home and not a misery, as some foreigners might think. But women and some country women, freemove themselves through their ease of going about, and had they had some substantial means that would have restrained them in obscurity, they would be as virtuous as any others. To be distinguished from courtesans and from maid-servants who are always flag-bedecked, to be preserved in purity, and to have increased beauty, the Chinese girls much prefer to suffer pain in their youth, in order to procure a nice pair of "Golden Lilies," with the belief that no marriage proposal will be received from honorable families, if they do not have them. The Chinese ladies being as desirous as others in the world, to show distress, unlike savages ignorant of pain do not bountiful benefits score from "Golden Lilies," what could have induced them to undergo hardships, with perfect willingness, for the sake of them. China having long been immersed in idolatry, were there nothing to bar the sexes from easy intercourse, the custom would be corrupted and consequently the dignity of the nation would be debased. It is Golden Lilies that have improved the customs and maintained the national dignity.

However, their benefits to China may only be compared to that of a candle to people at night, but when the sun of Christianity rises the flame of the candle will be lost in the daylight when the sun in all its brightness, has full sway over the land. Golden Lilies will under its scorching rays, be withered to their roots, yielding the place for the production of righteous fruits. "ANONYMUS" in the *Foochow Daily Bolo*.

## To-day's Advertisements

## THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE 1903.

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF TRADE MARK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that KO YIK KAM KO YAT HIN and WONG KA I, trading together in co-partnership at Hongkong and elsewhere under the style or firm of WING LEE WAI, have on the 29th day of April, 1903, applied for the Registration in Hongkong, in the Register of Trade Marks of the following Trade Mark viz.:

Two Storks facing each other with open beaks identical save for lateral inversion and the Chinese Characters 雙鶴 which mean "Two Storks."

Dated the 27th day of June, 1903.

DEACON & HASTINGS, Solicitors for the Applicants.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE COMPETITION on SATURDAY, 27th Inst., will be for SHORT RANGE CUP and SPOONS, commencing at 3 p.m. Ranges 200, 300 and 400 Yards. 7 Shots and a Slighter at each Range. Weather permitting.

M. S. NORTHCOOTE, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, June 26, 1903. 1350

ZETLAND LODGE.

No. 225, E.C.

A REGULAR MEETING of ZETLAND LODGE will be held at FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on WEDNESDAY, the 1st July, at 8.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brothers are cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, June 26, 1903. 1345

A GRAND PROMENADE CONCERT will be held on the VOLUNTEER PARADE GROUND on SATURDAY, July 11th, 1903.

Full details will be announced later. (Sd.) A. CHAPMAN, MAJOR, Acting Commandant.

Hongkong, June 26, 1903. 1349

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR AMOY & TAMSUI.

THE Company's Steamship HAILONG, Captain EVANS, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, 27th Inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARPAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, June 26, 1903. 1346

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW.

THE Company's Steamship HAITAN, Captain ROACH, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, 28th June, at 9 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARPAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, June 26, 1903. 1347

THE AMERICAN ASIATIC STEAMSHIP CO.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

THE Company's Steamship VERONA, Captain H. N. SMITH, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 30th Inst., at 4 p.m.

For Freight, apply to SEITWAN, TOMES & CO., General Agents.

Hongkong, June 26, 1903. 1351

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

THE Company's Steamship *Conquidona*, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GENERAL COMPANY, LIMITED, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the undersigned before Noon, on the 2nd July, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godown after the 2nd July, will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SANDER, WIELEK & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 26, 1903. 1343

WASHING BOOKS.

(In English and Chinese.)

WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office. Price \$1 each. Orders may be sent to the Office.

Memoranda.

THURSDAY, July 2.—Goods per *Bundel* undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per *Japan* not cleared at 4 p.m. on this date subject to rent. Goods per *Vindolona* undelivered after this date subject to rent.

SATURDAY, July 11.—A Grand Promenade Concert at Volunteer Parade Ground. 12.30 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd., at the Company's Office.

## To-day's Advertisements

## HONGKONG WATER POLO SHIELD COMPETITION.

NOTICE.

ENTRIES for the WATER POLO SHIELD (COMPETITION CLOSING TO-MORROW (TUESDAY) at 5 p.m.) Teams that have entered will please send a representative to attend the MEETING to be held at V.R.C. on TUESDAY, the 30th Inst., at 5 p.m. sharp.

A. E. S. ALVES, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong Water Polo Assn. Hongkong, June 23, 1903. 1319

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE.

FOR SHANGHAI.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to Tientsin, Tsingtau, Chekiang and Hankow.)

THE Steamship LACONGMOON, Captain F. SCHULZ, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 29th June, at 4 p.m.

This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First and Second-class Passengers. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 26, 1903. 1352

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Hongkong, June 26, 1903. 1323

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MRS. WATLING, Proprietress.

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Hongkong, March 14, 1903. 568

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Hongkong, June 1, 1903. 1168

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CALINGA AT GENSAN.  
THE Steamship  
SAVOIA,  
Captain DEBAY, will be despatched for the  
above Ports on MONDAY, the 6th  
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This Steamer has superior accommodation  
for First class passengers and carries  
a Doctor.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE,  
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**NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.**  
NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP  
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STEAMSHIP TACOMA.  
FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKO-  
HAMA, KOBE, MOBI AND  
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THE above Steamship arrived, Con-  
signees of Cargo are hereby requested to  
send in their bills of Lading for counter-  
signature and to take immediate delivery of  
their Goods from alongside.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the  
Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-  
signees' risk and expense.  
No Fire Insurance will be effected by us  
in any case whatever.  
DODWELL & Co., Ltd.,  
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Hongkong, June 25, 1903. 1333

**NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.**  
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Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may be  
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Optional cargo will be forwarded unless  
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No Claims will be admitted after the  
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No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE,  
Hongkong Office.  
Hongkong, June 22, 1903. 1312

**NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.**  
THE Steamship  
HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE,  
having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby  
informed that their Goods, with the ex-  
ception of Opium, Tobacco and Valuable  
are being landed and stored at their risk  
into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND  
KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY,  
Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may be  
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Notices to Consignees.

**FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND  
SINGAPORE.**  
THE N. D. L. Steamship *Wienburg*, Cap-  
t. v. DINZEL, having arrived from the  
above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby  
requested to send in their Bills of Lading  
for counter-signature by the Undersigned  
and to take immediate delivery of their  
Goods from alongside.  
Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless  
notice to the contrary be given before  
3 p.m. To-day.  
Any Cargo impeding her discharge will  
be landed into the Godowns of the HONG-  
KONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN  
COMPANY, LIMITED, and stored at Con-  
signees' risk and expense.  
No Claims will be admitted after the  
Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods  
remaining undelivered after 24th inst., will  
be subject to rent.  
All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods  
are to be left in the Godowns, where they  
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No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE,  
Hongkong Office.  
Hongkong, June 22, 1903. 1312

**AMERICAN ASIATIC STEAMSHIP  
COMPANY.**  
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.  
THE Steamship  
KISHI,  
Captain E. ROBERTSON, having arrived from  
the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are  
hereby requested to send in their Bills  
of Lading for counter-signature and to take  
immediate delivery of their Goods from  
alongside.  
Any Cargo impeding her discharge will  
be landed into the Godowns of the HONG-  
KONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN  
COMPANY, LIMITED, and stored at Con-  
signees' risk and expense.  
All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods  
must be left on board and due notice given  
to the undersigned, when they will be  
landed into Kowloon Godowns and a date  
appointed for examination.  
No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
SHEWAN TOMES & CO.,  
General Agents.  
Hongkong, June 23, 1903. 1324

**INSURANCES.**  
SALAMANDER FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.  
THE Undersigned having been appointed  
AGENTS for the above Company are  
prepared to accept Risks against Fire at  
Current Rates.  
HOLT, JACOB & Co.  
Hongkong, March 31, 1900. 738

**THE STANDARD LIFE OFFICE**  
(Established 1825.)  
Premiums Moderate Conditions Liberal  
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Invested Funds.....£10,000,000  
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organization and honourable and liberal  
treatment of all who come in contact  
with the Office could produce such a record  
as the "Standard" has shown over since  
1865.  
The Policyholder.  
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Messrs DODWELL & CO., LTD.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, December 22, 1902. 2523-7

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ESTABLISHED 1872.  
**HOP FUNG, 合**  
SHIP CHANDLER & Co.,  
Nos. 30 & 32 Wing On St. Central.  
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NEW IRON, METAL & STEEL FOR  
ENGINEERING WORK,  
STEEL BOILER PLATES,  
COPPER PIPES, GAS TUBING,  
ANCHORS & CHAINS,  
STEEL TREES AND JOISTS.  
Hongkong, January 4, 1902. 25

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APIOL & STEEL  
PILLS**  
Ladies!  
This medicine is the best for all kinds of  
female complaints, such as irregular  
menstruation, pain in the back, head-  
ache, etc. It is a purely vegetable  
preparation and is perfectly safe for  
all ages. It is sold in all the  
leading druggists and chemists.  
BOTTLED BY  
J. R. M. SMITH,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, May 15, 1903. 366

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**THE MERCHANT BANK OF  
INDIA, LIMITED.**  
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL.....£1,500,000  
SUBSCRIBED.....£1,125,000  
PAID UP.....£625,000  
RESERVE FUND.....£60,000  
BANKERS:  
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.  
INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts  
at the rate of 2 1/2 per centum on the Daily  
Balance.  
On Fixed Deposits:—  
For 12 Months.....4 1/2 %  
" 6 ".....4 %  
" 3 ".....3 1/2 %  
EVAN ORMISTON  
Acting Manager.  
Hongkong, May 25, 1903. 324

**THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK,  
LIMITED.**  
ESTABLISHED 1880.  
CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....Yen 24,000,000  
CAPITAL PAID-UP....." 18,000,000  
CAPITAL UNPAID-UP....." 6,000,000  
RESERVE FUND....." 9,000,000  
HEAD OFFICE—YOKOHAMA.  
BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:  
TOKYO, KOBE, NAGASAKI,  
LONDON, LYONS, NEW YORK,  
SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU, BOMBAY,  
SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, NEWCHANG,  
PEKING.  
LONDON BANKERS:  
The London Joint Stock Bank, Limited,  
Part of Bank, Limited,  
The Union of London and Smiths  
Bank, Limited.  
HONGKONG BRANCH—Interest allowed.  
On Current Account at the Rate of 2 1/2  
per centum on the daily balance.  
On fixed deposits for 12 months, 5 1/2 per  
centum.  
On fixed deposits for 6 months, 4 1/2 per  
centum.  
On fixed deposits for 3 months, 3 1/2 per  
centum.  
TARO HODSUMI,  
Manager.  
Hongkong, March 12, 1903. 589

**IMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA.**  
ESTABLISHED BY IMPERIAL DECREE OF THE  
12TH NOVEMBER, 1895.  
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....Yen 5,000,000  
PAID-UP CAPITAL....." 2,500,000  
HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.  
BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:  
CANTON, PEKING,  
CHONGKING, HANKOW,  
HONGKONG, SHANGHAI,  
TIENTSIN.  
THE BANK PURCHASES and receives for  
Collection Bills of Exchange drawn on  
the above places, and Sells Drafts and  
Telegraphic Transfers Payable at its  
Branches and Agencies.  
HONGKONG BRANCH.  
Advances made on approved securities.  
Bills Discounted.  
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at  
the Rate 2 1/2 per centum on the Daily  
Balance.  
On Fixed Deposits for 3 Months.....3 %  
" 6 ".....4 %  
" 12 ".....5 %  
E. W. RUTLER,  
Manager.  
Hongkong, January 18, 1901. 1970

**HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION.**  
PAID-UP CAPITAL.....£10,000,000  
RESERVE FUND.....£10,000,000  
Sterling Reserve, £10,000,000  
Silver Reserve.....£5,000,000  
REVENUE LIABILITY OF £10,000,000  
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HOLDERS.....£280,000  
RESERVE FUND.....£275,000  
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Balance.  
On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 4 1/2 %  
" 6 ".....4 %  
" 3 ".....3 1/2 %  
T. P. COCHRANE,  
Acting Manager.  
Hongkong, May 19, 1903. 848

**DEUTSCH-ASIATISCHE BANK.**  
PAID-UP CAPITAL, S'hai Tls. 5,000,000.  
HEAD OFFICE: SHANGHAI.  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS: BERLIN.  
BRANCHES: CALCUTTA,  
HANKOW, TIENTSIN,  
TUNGKOW (KIACHICHU).  
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The Union of London and Smiths  
Bank, Limited.  
Deutsche Bank (Berlin), London Agency  
Direction der Deutsche Gesellschaft.  
Interest allowed on Current Account.  
Deposits received on terms which may be  
agreed on application. Every description  
of Banking and Exchange business trans-  
acted.  
H. FIGGE,  
Manager.  
Hongkong, October 6, 1902. 298

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NEW YORK  
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E. F. GROS,  
Acting Manager.  
Hongkong, December 1, 1902. 1564

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CORPORATION.**  
HEAD OFFICE—NEW YORK.  
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OF AMERICA IN CHINA AND THE  
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.  
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SURPLUS (RESERVE)  
GOLD \$4,000,000 U.S. \$20,000  
TOTAL.....\$8,000,000 U.S. \$40,000  
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS ATTENDED BY  
GOLD \$10,000,000 U.S. \$50,000  
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" 6 ".....4 %  
" 3 ".....3 1/2 %  
HONGKONG BRANCH:  
20, DES VIGNE ROAD CENTRAL.  
CHARLES R. SCOTT,  
Manager.  
Hongkong, May 26, 1903. 161

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